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HEY!

Where are YOU Going?

TO THE

First National Bank,

The Designated Depository for the
Improved Order of Redmen
Of Kentucky;

They Say it is a

Perfectly Safe Bank.

And That it is Now One of the

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In Kentucky.

You Had Better Let Them

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Well Here Goes Then, Me for the

First National

I Believe What You Say.

REVISE THE TARIFF; REPEAL WAR TAX

Two Ways of Promoting Business Interests and Welfare of American People

Cincinnati Enquirer

There is no doubt to the improvement—the great and widespread improvement—of business in the United States during the past four months.

This has been brought about by the labor of our agriculturists, by favorable climatic conditions in 1914 and by the immense yields of food products in that year.

It has been aided greatly through the advantages of the facilities provided for business men by the Federal reserve banking system.

The people realize now that they are in control of the monetary supplies of the republic to an extent heretofore denied them, and being now endowed by legislation with such control, they will never relinquish it.

The improvement has been also promoted by the unexampled demand of foreign countries for the products of our lands, for the output of our mines, our mills, our shops, our factories.

These purchases were most welcome, but they were forced by the wants and needs of those foreign countries, not made in order to produce good times here.

There are two means of making still better times in the United States; two ways of promoting the interests of business men and also those of the great majority of our population.

There are two legislative acts that the administration should hasten and which the President should call the Congress together to pass.

The war tax levy should be repealed at once.

The revenues of the Government should be increased by an immediate revision of the Tariff.

Justice to the people of the United States demands that both be done.

The interests of the Democratic party, which has always opposed direct taxation and always stood for a Tariff for revenue, are now and in these instances peculiarly in line with the interests of the great majority of the people of the country.

The dislocation of the unexpected European war reduced the revenues and induced the administration to lay an odious war tax.

The situation is clearly defined. The administration should free the country from the tax and the party and itself from the odium of that measure.

This can be done by a Democratic Congress framing a Tariff law to produce the revenues the country needs.

Business men will reduce and approve these two measures.

Democratic leaders and Democratic voters and the Democratic party will be strengthened by such action.

Their political opponents will be forced to cry "amen" to these two propositions, even if they pull wry faces when doing so.

It is a duty the administration owes to the people of the country first, the business of the country second, and to the party third, to revise the Tariff to produce revenue and to destroy the war tax.

Great Council of Red Men Have Great Meeting

The Great Council of Kentucky Red Men met in Lexington last week and held their annual pow-wow. Besides the regular routine of business, they elected the following officers for the ensuing year: H. C. Yunker, Louisville, Great Sachem; John E. Sexton, Richmond, Great Soldier Sagamore; Henry Schweitzer, Great Junior Sagamore; William A. Keller, Louisville, Great Prophet; T. Wade Stratton, Cranwell, Great Keeper of Wampum; J. Mace Holsner, Louisville, Great Chief of Records.

The First National Bank of Barbourville, was designated as the Depository for the Great Council of Red Men of the State of Kentucky.

Hon. James M. Wilson, of this place, was appointed to one of the important committees.

Those who attended from this city were W. H. McDonald, J. M. Wilson, R. W. Cole, T. S. Fuller and M. T. McDonald. Alex. Stansbury from Knox, Fork, and Chas. Davis, of Eminence, members of this Tribe, were also present.

Official Call for Republican State Convention

Office of the Republican State Central Committee

Louisville, Ky., February 12, 1915.

To the Republican Electors of Kentucky:
The Republican State Central Committee of Kentucky hereby directs that a State Convention of delegates representative of the Republican Party in Kentucky be held in the City of Lexington, Kentucky, at 12:30 P. M., standard time, on Tuesday the 15th day of June, 1915, for the purpose of adopting a platform embodying the principles upon which the Republican Party and its nominees will ask the support of the electors of Kentucky, at the November election, 1915.

The delegates to said State Convention shall be selected by county mass conventions to be held in the county seat in each county at 1 o'clock P. M., standard time, on Saturday, June 12th, 1915, except in the counties of Bell, Boone, Campbell and Kenton, in which counties said conventions shall be held in the cities of Middlesboro, Ashland, Newport and Covington, respectively; provided that in the county of Jefferson and City of Louisville, the city and county executive committee shall provide for the holding of conventions in each ward and in the county of Jefferson, exclusive of the City of Louisville.

The form of voting in said county mass conventions on all questions, shall be viva voce except in the City of Louisville and Jefferson county, where the county executive committee shall determine the manner of voting. The county executive committees shall give not less than ten days' notice of the time, the particular place or building where said county or ward mass conventions shall be held and the manner of selecting delegates, by newspaper publication or by notices posted in conspicuous places in each voting precinct of the county.

All voters who were entitled to participate in the conventions at which delegates were elected to the Republican State Convention held in the City of Louisville on Wednesday, the 10 day of April, 1912, and those known Republicans who have attained the age of 21 since that date, shall be entitled to participate in the conventions to elect delegates to the State Convention herein called.

One delegate shall be elected for each 100 votes or fraction thereof amounting to 50 or over cast for the Republican candidates for electors in each county at the Presidential election in 1908, except in the county of McCreary (which had not been created in 1908) where the combined vote polled by the Republican and Progressive candidates for Presidential electors in 1912 is taken as the basis. On this basis, McCreary County is entitled to nine votes, and these votes shall be deducted from Whitley, Pulaski and Wayne counties, the three counties from which McCreary County was created, in the proportion that the Republican vote polled in these three counties in 1908 bears to the combined Progressive and Republican vote polled in McCreary county in 1912. These votes deducted are three from Whitley, four from Pulaski, and two from Wayne. Upon the basis above fixed, the several counties of the State are entitled to representation as follows:

Adair	19	Harrison	16
Allen	19	Hart	20
Anderson	10	Henderson	25
Ballard	7	Henry	14
Barren	23	Hickman	7
Bath	15	Hopkins	3
Bell	28	Jackson	19
Boone	9	Jalapa	27
Bourbon	25	Jessamine	13
Boyd	29	Jones	23
Boyle	15	Kenton	64
Bracken	11	Knox	28
Breathitt	18	Lane	10
Breckinridge	23	Larue	10
Bullitt	7	Laudel	26
Butler	23	Lawrence	21
Caldwell	15	Lee	12
Calloway	8	Leslie	14
Campbell	70	Letcher	12
Carlisle	5	Lewis	25
Carroll	5	Lincoln	19
Carter	26	Logan	23
Casey	19	Livingston	10
Christian	48	Leon	8
Clark	19	Madison	32
Clay	20	Maggoffin	16
Clinton	11	Marion	18
Crittenden	17	Marshall	10
Cumberland	12	Martin	13
Daviess	20	Mason	18
Edmonson	13	McCracken	21
Elliott	6	McLean	19
Estill	15	Meade	9
Fayette	47	Menard	5
Fleming	23	Meyer	16
Floyd	16	Metcalfe	13
Franklin	16	Monroe	19
Fulton	6	Montgomery	13
Gallatin	3	Morgan	13
Garrard	16	McCreary	9
Grant	11	Muhlenberg	17
Graves	17	Nelson	18
Grayson	24	Nicholas	37
Green	13	Ohio	8
Greenup	21	Oldham	14
Hancock	14	Owen	6
Hardin	19	Owsley	7
Harlan	14	Pendleton	12

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are the essential characteristics that have made us one of the most successful banking institutions in Kentucky.

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John A. Black, Pres. A. M. Decker, Vice-Pres.
J. A. McDermott, Cashier. W. R. Lay, Vice-Pres.

MASS CONVENTION OF REPUBLICANS

To be Held at the Court

House at One P. M.

June 12

To the Republicans of Knox County:

The Republican State Central Committee has named the following call:

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"The delegates to said State

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"All voters who were entitled to participate in the conventions at which delegates were elected to the Republican State Convention held in the City of Louisville on Wednesday, the 10th day of April, 1912, and those known Republicans who have attained the age of 21 since that date, shall be entitled to participate in the convention to elect delegates to the State Convention herein called.

"One delegate shall be elected for each 100 votes or fraction thereof amounting to 50 or over cast for the Republican candidates for electors in each county at the Presidential election, in 1908. Upon this basis Knox County is entitled to 28 delegates."

In pursuance of the above call, the Republicans of Knox County are hereby requested to meet in mass convention at the Court House in Barbourville, Knox County, Kentucky, at one o'clock P. M., on Saturday, June 12th, 1915, for the purpose of selecting 28 delegates and 28 alternates to attend convention above mentioned.

According to the above rulings of the State Central Committee, those who supported President Roosevelt in 1912, are entitled to participate in this mass convention.

It is earnestly requested that all Republicans who can attend this mass meeting, as the success of our Party in the coming fall election and the welfare of the State may, in a large measure, depend upon your action.

Yours very truly,
JOHN W. HUGHES, CHM.
B. C. LEWIS, SEC.

E. T. FRANKS, CHAIRMAN.
ALVIN S. BENNETT, SEC.

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